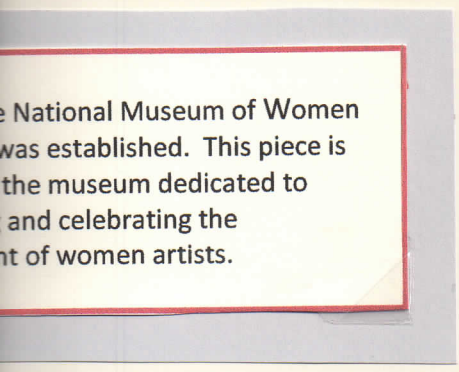
Pycnosceles surinamensis, **Surinam cockroach:** Art Print

Scientists believe the Surinam cockroach originated in Southeast Asia. Now it is found throughout the world. Surinam cockroaches are not usually considered structural pests, however they can cause economic damage in greenhouses and nurseries. Surinam cockroaches are burrowing insects. They hide in the soil or under mulch or piles of leaves.

Adult Surinam cockroaches are about one inch long. They are dark-colored, usually brown. Their head is almost black. The Surinam cockroach is partial to the sweet fruit of the pineapple.

March 3, 1997 - Self-Adhesive Booklet of 20 – Gravure Process
Serpentine Die Cut 10.9x10.2 on 2,3,4 sides plus label -Merian Botanical Prints.



In this vendible booklet of 15 the stamps are placed sideways on the pane and are serpentine die cut 11.2 on top and bottom. 10.8 on left side. One of the two has a straight edge at left. The right side is 11.2 broken by a sloping die cut where the stamp meets the vertical die cutting of the two stamps above it.